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Rodney P. Swanson
Deerfield Community Church
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Subject: Deerfield - Public Water System: Deerfield Community Church / Comm. Center EPA # 0599020

Dear Mr. Swanson:

On this date, the Department of Environmental Services (DES) has received a request from your consultant, Scott Clang of Northeast Rural Water Association, to extend the deadline for submitting a report concerning the nitrate contaminant at the referenced water system. The report, originally due on June 17, 2002, is one of several items requested in the Letter of Deficiency (LOD)# WSEB 02-18. In his request, Mr. Clang has noted that the investigation into the source of the nitrate contamination has become quite complex and potentially involves facilities not owned by, or under the control of, the church.

DES hereby grants the request for an extension on the due date of the report. As a result, DES requests that the consultant's report be forwarded to DES for review by September 27, 2002.

If you have questions concerning this letter, please contact me by phone at (603) 271-2854 or by e-mail at aleach@des.state.nh.us.

Sincerely,

Alan Leach

Water Supply Engineering Bureau

cc Gretchen Rule, DES Legal Unit
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